(d) The requisite information to the extent available is given in the annexed *statement*.

Statement

Sl. No.	Brand Name of ORS	Retail price as per MIMS December 1989 Edition Rs.
1.	Electral 51.5 gm.	5.61
2.	Speedoral 37.8 gm.	8.15
3.	Prolyte 55 gm.	9.00
	27.5 gm.	5.58
4.	Regolyte 40 gm.	5.50
	80 gm.	11.30
5.	Peditral 40 gm.	7.03

Government do not monitor production/turnover of formulations.

Priority Items for Medical Stores

1461. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a vocabulary of medical stores containing priority items;

(b) whether certain priority items which are not essential are being brought under the general list; and

(c) if so, since when?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI NILAMANI ROUTRAY): (a) Yes, Sir. There is a Vocabulary of Medical Stores but it does not contain priority items.

(b) There is no such move at present.

(c) Does not arise.

Ban on imports of drugs

1462. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry has received requests from indigenous producers for ban on import of certain drugs;

(b) if so, what are the names of the drugs for which requests were received;

(c) what is the stage from which each of these drugs is being produced;

(d) what was the production of each drug during the last two years, years-wise;

(e) whether any of these drugs is being exported;

(f) if so, what is the quantity of each drug exported during the last two years, year-wise;

(g) what was the imports of each drug during the last two years in quantity and value; and

(h) what steps have been taken to ban the imports?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S: GURUPADASWAMY): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Names of bulk drugs for which ban on import has been sought with the stages of manufacture as per industrial

approvals given to the extent, is given below:—

Sl. No.	Name of Bulk Drug	Stage of manufacture
1.	Chloroquin Sulphate	Basic stage of EMME and Novaldiamine
2.	TIQC	Basic stage of Fermentation
3.	Vincrestine Sulphate	Basic stage
4.	Vinblastine Sulphate	
5.	Danazol	
6.	Cisplatin	
7.	Erythromycin Ethyl Succinate	Basic stage of Fermentation
8.	Dipropionate Clobetasole-17-Propionate &; Clobetasone –17 –Butyrate	Intermediate stage

(d) Of the drugs mentioned above, this Department monitors the production of only Chloroquin and Erythromycin, details of which are given below:—

	Production (In MT)	
	1987-88	1988-89
Chloroquin	140.10	141.16
Erythromycin	41.50	40.72

(e) to (g) Exports|Imports of individual drugs are not being monitored by this Department.

(h) The Policy for putting the items in various Appendices of EXIM Policy is decided by Ministry of Commerce in consideration of various factors such as, demand, number of manufacturers, production, availability etc.

Policy on Industrial Growth Centres

1463. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have recently reviewed its policy on the Industrial Growth Centres:

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefore;

(c) whether Government have built up a new concept in the matter; and

(d) if so, what are its main features and what would be its effect on industrial development in the country?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) to (d) The Government in June, 1988 announced a Scheme to set up 100 growth centres in various parts of the country. It was intended to develop 70 growth centres in various State|Union Territories in the first phase. The location of 50 growth centres was also identified. The growth centre scheme is proposed to be taken up for implementation during the 8th plan period. All locations will be reviewed before final approval is accorded.

Report on Mahabir Colliery Disaster

1464. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any report from the H. B. Ghosh Committee appointed to enquire into the Mahabir Colliery disaster of November, 1989; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and what action has been taken by Government thereon?